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HAVING HOT-PLUG CAPABILITY

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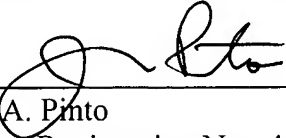
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Should the Examiner have any questions, please contact the undersigned attorney.

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